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SUBJECT: CIVAIR: PROPOSED MEETING WITH CANADIANS

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1. US PROPOSAL DISCUSSED MORNING JUNE 25 WITH FULFORD, DIRECTOR, TRANSPORT, COMMUNICATIONS AND ENERGY DIVISION, EXTAFF, WHO AGREED TAKE PROMPT ACTION ATTEMPT SET UP MEETING POSSIBLY ON JULY 2.

2. FULFORD NOTED THERE MAY BE DIFFICULTIES IN GETTING RIGHT PEOPLE TOGETHER IN VIEW OF SUMMER VACATIONS AND OTHER COMMITMENTS (E.G., AIR NEGOTIATIONS IN CARACAS NEXT WEEK). FURTHERMORE, BUREAUCRATIC ENTITIES CONCERNED WITH IATA AND WITH ICAO ARE DIFFERENT AND IT IS POSSIBLE GOC WILL BE ABLE FIELD INFORMED TEAM TO DISCUSS ONLY ONE OR THE OTHER AREA.

3. EMBASSY SENDING FULFORD LETTER BASED ON REFTEL. COPIES BEING SENT TO OTHER MOT, CTC AND EXTAFF
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OFFICIALS. WE WILL KEEP ON TOP OF QUESTION WITH

FULFORD. WASHINGTON'S ATTENTION IS CALLED TO FACT
THAT JULY 1 IS CANADIAN HOLIDAY.

4. COMMENT: WE ALSO NOTE THAT PARAGRAPH 7 SUGGESTS
DESIRE POSSIBLY INFLUENCE AIR CANADA'S CASTING OF MAIL
VOTE WITHIN 7-10 DAY PERIOD FROM JUNE 25. AIR CANADA
WILL IN EMBASSY'S VIEW MAKE UP ITS OWN MIND ON THAT
QUESTION. IF ITS VOTE IS NOT TO OUR LIKING AND WE
PERSUADE GOC CORRECTNESS OF OUR VIEWS, A GOC DECISION
TO INTERVENE WITH CARRIER WILL TAKE TIME. IT IS HIGHLY
UNLIKELY TO BE UNDERTAKEN UNTIL NEW GOVERNMENT IS
INSTALLED AND FUNCTIONING FOLLOWING JULY 8 GENERAL
ELECTION.

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